

Poster Design Contest

Happy Holidays! We have some exciting news to share: the Oregon Talking Book and Braille Library has officially become the first National Library Service (NLS) network library to be a Center for the Book! Every state and territory in the United States has a Center for the Book library to promote an awareness of books, authors, reading, literacy, and to highlight the literary heritage of their region. Our library was specifically chosen to promote representation for people with disabilities. How cool is that?

We are celebrating this winter by having a **Poster Design Contest** for YOU: our K-12 students! This is a fun opportunity to express your unique style and imagination. The winner's poster will be used by our graphic design team as inspiration for our new Center for the Book logo and will receive a \$100 Amazon gift card. All skill levels are encouraged to participate.

Here's how to participate:

- Create a poster using the theme"Reading is for Everyone."
- Use any art supplies you like (colored pencils, crayons, markers, paint, etc.)
- Include colors, pictures, words, shapes, patterns, collage, doodles, computer graphics, tactile art anything to express the theme "Reading is for Everyone."
- Scan the QR code or visit <u>www.oregon.gov/library/print-disabilities/Pages/Poster-Design-</u>

Contest.aspx for more ideas and all the details on how to enter.

- Have fun!
- Submit your poster design by January 31, 2023.



FUN WINTER READS!

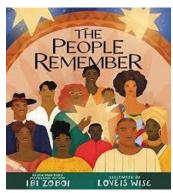
Red and Green and Blue and White by Lee Wind. DB107710. It's a holiday season that both Isaac, whose family is Jewish, and Teresa, whose family is Christian, have looked forward to for months! They enjoy all the things they share, as well as the things that make them different. For grades K-3. 2021.

Pig the Elf. Pig the Pug: 4 by Aaron Blabey. DBC20026. No one loves

Christmas more than Pig, and the world's greediest Pug will stay up all night to get his presents! For grades K-3.



The People Remember by Ibi Aanu Zoboi. DB105456. The author recounts the journey of African descendants in



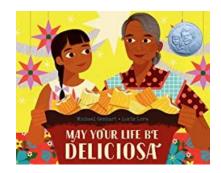
America by connecting their history to the seven principles of Kwanzaa. Coretta Scott-King Award Honor. For grades K-3. 2021.

Charlotte and the Nutcracker: The True Story of a Girl who Made Ballet History by Sarah Warren. DB106196. The only thing Charlotte loves as much as ballet is Christmas. When she gets the opportunity to play Marie in the New York City Ballet's The Nutcracker, she leaps at the chance. With the help of her Trinidadian and Filipino families,

Charlotte succeeds in her dreams. For grades K-3. 2021.

May Your Life Be Deliciosa by Michael Genhart. DB107042. Every year on Christmas Eve. Rosie's abuela teaches

her not only how to make a delicious tamale, but also how to make a delicious life -



one filled with love, plenty of spice, and family. Pura Belpré Award Illustrator Honor. For grades K-3. 2021.

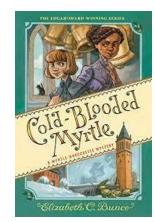
The Christmas Pig by J.K. Rowling. BR023983. DB105478. Jack loves his childhood toy, Dur Pig. DP has always been there for him, through good and bad - until one Christmas Eve, when something terrible happens: DP is lost. But Jack's newest toy, the Christmas Pig (DP's replacement), has a daring plan to find him. Fantasy. For grades 3-6. 2021.

Cold-blooded Myrtle. Myrtle

Hardcastle: 3 by Elizabeth Bunce.

DB105521. The morning the annual
Christmas display is to be unveiled, the

proprietor is found dead. When figures in a holiday display foretell another crime, Myrtle Hardcastle races to uncover a serial killer. Detective and Mystery. For grades 5-8. 2021.



The Sea in Winter by Christine Day. DB103049. After an injury sidelines her dreams of becoming a ballet star, Maisie is not excited for her blended family's

midwinter road trip along the coast, near the Makah community where her mother grew up. 2022 American Indian Youth Literature Award Honor. Mystery. For grades 4-7. 2021.



Eat Your Heart Out by Kelly Devos. **DB105525**. Six disgruntled teens spend their winter break at a fat camp during Flagstaff's worst blizzard in a century, only to find that Camp Featherlite is even worse than expected because it is crawling with genetically modified monsters. Science Fiction. Horror. For senior high and older readers. 2021.

All I Want for Christmas by Wendy Loggia. DB101670. Bailey happily counts down the days to Christmas with holiday music, baking cookies, snowy sleigh rides, and wearing her light-up

reindeer ears to work at Winslow's bookstore. But this year, she's wishing for a special someone to kiss under the mistletoe. Romance. For senior high and older readers. 2020.

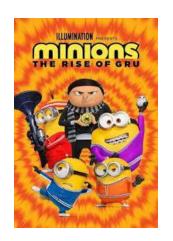


NEW DVDS!

Did you know that we have a large collection of descriptive DVDs available for you to check out? Give us a call if you would like to request one!

Minions: The Rise of Gru. DVD0644.

The untold story of one twelve-year-old's dream to become the world's greatest supervillain. Starring Steve Carell, Pierre Coffin, Alan Arkin, and Taraji P. Henson. 2022. Rated PG.



Fantastic Beasts; The Secrets of Dumbledore. DVD0636. Professor Albus Dumbledore must assist Newt

Scamander and his partners as
Grindelwald begins to lead an army to eliminate all
Muggles. Starring
Eddie Redmayne,
Jude Law, and Dan
Fogler. 2022. Rated
PG-13.



Cinderella. DVD0650. A modern movie musical with a bold take on the classic fairy tale. Our ambitious heroine has big dreams and with the help of her fab Godmother, she perseveres to make them come true. Starring Camila Cabello, Billy Porter, Nicholas Galitzine, and Idina Menzel. 2021. Rated PG.



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- Do you love art?
- Would you like to win a \$100 Amazon Gift Card?

We need your help! Grab your favorite art supplies and enter our Poster Design Contest. See inside for all the details!



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